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STATEMENT REGARDING COVID-19 TEST RESULTS (CORONAVIRUS)

Island County, May 22, 2020:

On May 12, Island County Public Health, WhidbeyHealth and a variety of other community partners opened COVID-19 testing to Island County residents throughout Camano Island and South, Central and North Whidbey Island. This effort aimed to improve data around the number of Island County residents with active COVID-19 virus, focusing on individuals not experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 at the time of testing.

Over 2,500 individuals were tested during this initiative - Island County thanks our community members for a tremendous turnout and significant support. At this time, all results received for tests taken between May 12 and 18 have been negative. Additional updates will be provided as information is received. Island County is currently still in Phase 1 and we need to continue to follow appropriate measures. Please remember that gatherings remain prohibited over this upcoming holiday weekend.

For individuals who were pre-registered and scheduled prior to testing, staff have attempted to contact all participants with test results. Results should also be available to pre-registered participants through the WhidbeyHealth hospital patient portal. For individuals tested and not pre-registered, only those with positive test results will be called. If you need written documentation of your test results for employment or medical purposes and cannot access the portal, please contact the call center at 360.678.2301 with your request.

For additional information:

Island County Public Health – www.islandcountywa.gov/Health/Pages/COVID-19.aspx
Call Center # 360.678.2301, Mondays through Fridays (8:00am – 4:30pm), Saturdays and Sundays (9:00am – 4:00pm)

WA State Coronavirus Response (COVID-19) – https://coronavirus.wa.gov/